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They are:

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Speaking Children*
Critical Reading: A Broader View
Reading and the Denied Learner

Each bibliography contains an informative listing of pertinent references. Copies may be obtained from the International Reading Association, Six Tyre Avenue, Newark, Delaware 19711 for a nominal fee.

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